and Common Council of Manchester may, from time to time, formulate, and subject to such inspection as may be deemed necessary. No connection of any kind shall be made with any water main constructed or maintained by said Mayor and Common Council of Manchester without a permit and under such conditions as said Mayor and Common Council of Manchester may authorize. Said Mayor and Common Council of Manchester shall have the right of entry at reasonable hours to all buildings and premises having any connection with the water supply system under their jurisdiction, and may order and require such changes in all water supply connections as they may deem necessary to eliminate improper use of water. In order to prevent waste of water, said Mayor and Common Council of Manchester shall have the right of entry at reasonable hours to all buildings or premises having any connection with the water supply under their jurisdiction, and may order and require such changes in all plumbing, water works or water connections as they may deem necessary to eliminate leakage or loss of water. No private or semipublic water supply installation intended for the use of two or more buildings or premises shall be constructed in said town of Manchester without the person, firm or corporation doing the work having first obtained a permit from said Mayor and Common Council of Manchester and paid a reasonable charge therefor, and such plants shall then be installed, maintained and operated under such rules and regulations as said Mayor and Common Council of Manchester may require or devise. Any violation of any of the provisions of this section shall be a misdemeanor punishable under Section 206 of this subtitle.

1924, ch. 93, sec. 10.

200. For every water connection, as provided under Section 198, said Mayor and Common Council of Manchester shall make such charge as they shall determine to be reasonable, which charge shall be uniform throughout the town of Manchester, subject, however, to revision annually by the Mayor and Common Council of Manchester. Said charge shall be paid by all property owners at the office of the Mayor and Common Council of Manchester before the actual connection with any pipe on private property is made; or any owner so desiring may so pay one-fourth of said charge, in which case the balance shall be paid in three equal annual installments, such deferred payments to bear interest at the rate of 6 per cent. and to be payable at the same time, in the same manner, and subject to the same penalties and methods of collection as the front-foot benefit charges provided under Section 197. One-half of the revenue above actual cost derived from such charges shall be retained by the Mayor and Common Council of Manchester and as contingent fund for repairs, replacements or any extraordinary expense in the maintenance and operation of the water supply system under their control. The remaining half shall be applied by the Mayor and Common Council of Manchester to the payment of the bonded debt as hereinafter provided.